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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

In re Application of

Customer Number: 53080

Hiroki HACHIYAMA, et al.

Confirmation Number: 8913

Application No.: 09/963,551

Group Art Unit: 2625

Filed: September 27, 2001

Examiner: James Thompson

For: IMAGE PROCESSOR

SECOND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated November 23, 2007 and the Office Action dated August 2, 2007, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on November 2, 2007, and the petition for a two-month extension of time up to and including January 2, 2008 being filed concurrently herewith, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.